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-Title of Hearing: **Hearing on Responding to Long-Term Unemployment**

I have been unemployed since June 1, 2008 and have only been able to survive because of my UI benefits. Without those payments, I will be unable to pay rent. I have already lost my home due to being unemployed, and may well lose my auto as well if I don't have benefits extended beyond 99 weeks. It has been impossible to find a job. I am 64 years old, have a college degree, have experience in sales, Real Estate, and even technology. There are no jobs being offered, even though I am actively sending resumes, contacting everyone I know and I am at the end of my rope. Please extend benefits until the economy improves and jobs return. Please, please, please.....